

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Members of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs That "He Who Runs May Read" The Sun.

Old newspapers for sale at The Sun office.

Callers' calling cards in latest styles at Sun office.

Barrels for sale. J. N. Bone, phone 19. Std-25w.

Johnson's Wonderful Salve for sale. J. W. McCollum & Co.

W. P. Morton of Eve was registered at the Brown House yesterday.

Dr. J. Harrison Hodges is spending a few days in Jacksonville and other points.

How Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine for sale at a bargain. Apply at the office.

Miss Annie Cannon of Rocky Point made a brief visit to friends in this city yesterday.

Mr. Laura Allen of DeLand is the guest of Miss Kittle LaFontaine. She will remain about a week.

For Sale—Two fine milch cows; calves. Call on or address C. C. Nelson, Micanopy, Fla.

J. W. Thomas of the Singer Sewing Machine Company has returned to his points in the East End.

H. H. Harrison of Jacksonville, stock agent of the Seaboard Air Line, is in the city on official business.

Pay your water rent at 116 West Main street, North, next door to express office. T. B. Ellis, Collector.

Miss Julia Wainwright left yesterday for High Springs, where she will be the guest of friends for the next few days.

W. D. Yarrington, traveling representative of The Times-Union, is in the city in the interest of Florida's great daily.

Ladies who get their calling cards printed at The Sun office, 25 for 50 cents, have five votes in the library contest.

Dr. Thomas McLeod and J. G. White, two of Newberry's prominent citizens, were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

If you have job printing to do bring it to The Sun office. For every dollar's worth of work you get you have ten votes on the Library contest.

Professor McIntosh of Rex, T. J. McKee of Hawthorn and O. G. Thigpen of Rochelle formed a trio of visitors to the county capital yesterday.

Truby Osteen of High Springs and H. H. Smith of Ticon were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. The former came to consult Dr. Alderman in regard to some dental work.

After a pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jernigan, in this city, Mrs. Phillip Wind returned yesterday to her home in Live Oak. Friends here were glad to see her.

Dr. J. H. Alderman yesterday received telegraphic information of the serious illness of his mother at Rochelle. It is hoped that the patient is not so ill as supposed and that she will soon recover.

Wanted—Orders for Victor Talking Machine and records. Retail orders five dollars up delivered free. Old records and machines exchanged. Metropolitan Talking Machine Co., Jacksonville, Fla.

The Alachua County Abstract Company, incorporated, has an advertisement in The Sun. If you have any doubt as to the title of any lands you may have or contemplate buying they can set you right.

The public, and especially the ladies, of Gainesville are invited to attend an informal reception to Governor Broward and party at the girls' territory of East Florida Seminary tonight from 8:30 to 9:30.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday was S. L. Thomas of Windsor. Notwithstanding that good rains have moistened various sections recently, the farmers of Windsor are suffering, and crops are not so good as they would be with better irrigation.

J. H. Dye of Micanopy was in the city yesterday and received his subscription to The Sun. He was en route from points in the Southland and had been in the city for some time.

Rollins Academy prepares for the college.

J. Starr Sternberger has returned from a brief business trip to Ocala.

Mrs. J. B. McDonald spent the day yesterday with friends at Fairbanks.

We have a few hammocks left and will sell them at reduced prices. Baird.

Mrs. Mizelle of Melrose has returned to her home, after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Get your job printing at The Sun job office and you can vote for your favorite in the library contest.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Gattrell of Fairfield were among those who favored Gainesville with a visit Thursday.

T. H. Wallis of Ocala and A. O. Martin of Jacksonville were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

Dr. J. D. Watkins returned yesterday from Micanopy, where he spent Wednesday night with his family.

Mrs. J. E. Wainwright has returned from Alachua, where she has been on a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Powell.

Dr. W. C. Johnson of Micanopy, one of the leading citizens of that thriving town, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

All big records broken in June sales of Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla extracts. Ask your grocer for Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla. Takes less. Flavors perfectly.

When you make a purchase where they issue votes for the beautiful \$500 library exhibited in the show window of G. W. Hyde, don't forget to vote for the institution of your choice. It may need them before it is over.

The Gainesville and Waldo junior baseball teams will cross bats on the local diamond for the championship this afternoon, weather permitting. The game will be called at 3 o'clock, and the admission will be 10 and 15 cents. Everybody invited.

W. H. Ellis, Attorney-General; N. P. Bryan, President Board of Control; W. M. Holloway, Superintendent State Schools; W. V. Knott, State Treasurer; H. Clay Crawford, Secretary of State; W. N. Sheats and Hon. Robert McNamee are registered at the Brown House.

There will be an excursion via Seaboard Air Line to Savannah and Columbia July 3, 1905. Special train from Jacksonville. Fare from Gainesville to Savannah only \$5.50, to Columbia only \$7.50, round trip, tickets good until July 13. See E. C. Cobb, ticket agent. 2t

Notice is hereby given to merchants where the voting contest for the free library is being carried on that no returns sent into The Sun office after 11 o'clock today will be counted in Sunday's paper. It is a tedious and laborious task to check up the returns, and in order to insure insertion, same must be handed in early.

Remember the Gainesville & Gulf has round trip rates to White Springs on Sundays at only \$1. Train leaves Gainesville at 6:30 a. m., returning at 9:30 p. m., and affording a whole day at this favorite resort. Cheaper than hiring a buggy, and passengers are enabled to spend a day on the banks of the famous old Suwannee river. 1t

Miss Lillian Thomas expects to make her departure Monday for Savannah, Ga. In the Forest City she will join Mr. and Mrs. Ward of Douglas, Ga., and will proceed with them to Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Ward is a member of the Legislature from his State and expects to remain in Atlanta during the session of that body. Miss Thomas, who is a relative, will be his guest.

READ THIS.

PRYOR, TENN., June 1, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: I have suffered several years from kidney and bladder trouble and have tried a number of preparations, but can truthfully say that nothing has proved so effective as your Texas Wonder, which I can truthfully recommend. GEO. W. CLAIBORNE.

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R. B. Weeks of Hawthorn, T. A. Duke of Santa Fe and W. J. Martin of Donnie were in the city yesterday. These gentlemen represent their respective sections as members of the school board, and came to attend the annual meeting of the board.

J. B. Withers, representing Stringfellow-Doty Company, Jacksonville, is in the city. It has been rumored that Mr. Withers intended resigning his position to resume his old position on the road as a tobacco salesman, but he stated yesterday that he had decided to remain with his present firm.

J. H. Manners, representing the International Harvesting Machine Company of Chicago, Ill., has returned to his home in this city, after a tour of the East Coast in the interest of his firm. He states that the people of that section are prosperous, that trade was never better at this season of the year, and that the crops and groves promise abundant yield.

Prof. J. A. Ormand of Windsor was in the city yesterday. Prof. Ormand has been appointed principal of the colored normal school, which will convene at Tallahassee on the 10th inst. His assistants will be Profs. J. H. Coffee and O. M. Tillman. The fact that this entire faculty is appointed from Alachua county is quite a compliment to the ability of Alachua county teachers.

If you want a cheap trip to a delightful country, take advantage of the excursion over the Seaboard Air Line to Savannah and Columbia on July 3. Fare to Savannah, round trip, \$5.50; to Columbia and return, only \$7.50. Tickets good returning July 13. Special train from Jacksonville. Tickets to be sold on regular trains leaving Gainesville for Jacksonville July 3. For further particulars see E. C. Cobb, ticket agent. 2t

A dog supposed to be mad created considerable excitement on the streets last night, finally coming to The Sun office and stationing himself at the front door. The office force from the editor to the galley-boy were posted and for the remainder of the night—or at least until the animal decided to leave—it is needless to add that all doors were barred against the would-be intruder. It is not believed that the dog was affected with hydrophobia, however, as he took matters too coolly. It is believed that he was sick from poison administered by some person.

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Yours Anxious to Please

HAVE BOUGHT A FARM.

Manners & Nelson Will Engage in Modern Trucking at Williston.

J. H. Manners of this city and Henry Nelson of Williston have purchased a portion of what is known as the New-some farm near Williston and will engage extensively in trucking on a modern and up-to-date scale.

The tract purchased comprised ninety acres, all cleared, and is exceptionally fertile. The soil is particularly adapted to the growing of cucumbers, although truck of all kinds grow well.

This firm proposes to begin at once making improvements on the property and by early fall will have the tract planted. The first move will be the installation of a fine system of both surface and sub-irrigation. Mr. Manners states that the plant will be the finest that can be secured.

Mr. Nelson, who is a trucker of long experience, will be superintendent of the farm and great things are expected of this venture.

IMPROVING PROPERTY.

Robert Albright Making Many Changes in Farm Recently Purchased.

Robert Albright, who recently purchased from August Wenske nine acres of land in New Gainesville for trucking purposes, went to work immediately to improve the property and is making nice headway. There is a neat four-room residence upon the place and temporarily Mr. Albright and his family are residing there. He has also purchased from Mr. Wenske on Alachua avenue a desirable building lot and proposes as soon as the material can be secured to erect a handsome home.

Mr. Albright moved with his family from Terre Alta, W. Va., several weeks ago and are well pleased with Gainesville.

MEETING SCHOOL BOARD.

Convened in Annual Session Friday to End Business of Year.

The Board of Public Instruction of Alachua county met in annual session in the office of Superintendent Kelley Friday, which is the custom at the end of each fiscal year.

There was a full board present, and the time was devoted to balancing the accounts and settling the annual affairs of the board.

A Handsome Curtain.

One of the handsomest works of art of its kind ever seen in this State is the drop curtain at the opera house which has just been completed by D. A. Benson and which brings forth strongly Mr. Benson's ability as an artist.

This curtain is 12x30 feet. The center-piece is a German scene, "Moonlight on the Rhine," and is truly a work to be admired. The towering mountains serve as a handsome background, while in the foreground the beautiful and world-renowned Rhine winds its way lazily along. A stone bridge spans the stream, and the picture in all is one which will be admired by lovers of art. In its production the artist has blended his colors softly, modestly and harmoniously, making just the proper effect.

Around this center-piece are advertising squares or spaces, representing twenty-one of the leading merchants of this and neighboring cities. The workmanship upon these squares is in keeping with the picture, and altogether the curtain is a most attractive one.

Mr. Benson, who has been a resident of this city for the past three months, enjoys the reputation of being one of the most competent scenic artists in the South.

Notice to Water Takers.

The water rate for the quarter ending September 30th, 1905, will be due and payable to T. B. Ellis, collector of revenue, on or before July 15th, 1905. The rules regarding the cutting off of water and turning on the same will be rigidly enforced by recent order of the City Council, if not paid at the proper time. J. M. FULL, City Clerk.

Summer Tourist Rates Via Atlantic Coast Line.

If you contemplate visiting summer resorts see ticket agents Atlantic Coast Line and get all information with reference to rates, routes, schedules and Pullman service. Summer tourist rates are now in effect to all the principal resorts throughout the country with return limit October 1st. Rates have been advanced to all springs, mountains and lake resorts. For the first time round-trip tickets are now on sale to resorts in New England territory.

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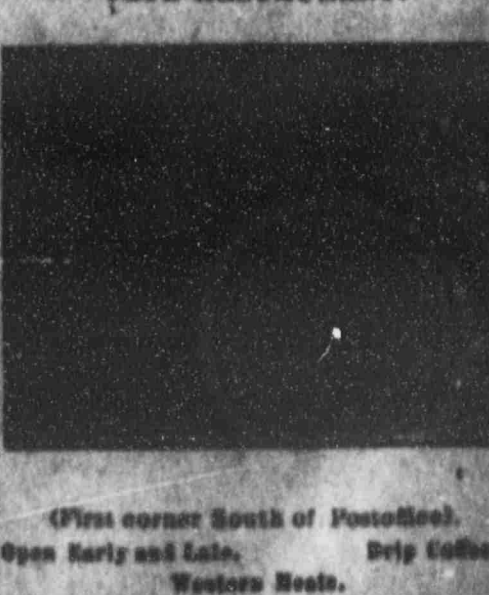
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